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TAGS: PLOS, IMCO, UR

SUBJECT: LOS: USSR PROTEST TO UK RE DESIGNATION OF 200  
MILE EXCLUSIVE FISHERY ZONE AROUND ROCKALL  
ISLAND

AT RECENT IMCO MEETING SOVIET EMBASSY COUNSELLOR VLADIMIR  
KOTLIAR ASKED US IMCO DELEGATION MEMBER DALTON AND  
EMBASSY SHIPPING ATTACHE WHAT HAD BEEN US REACTION TO  
BRITISH DESIGNATION OF 200 MILE EXCLUSIVE FISHERY ZONE  
AROUND ISLAND OF ROCKALL. HE SAID THAT SOVIETS HAD BEEN  
EXTREMELY CONCERNED AT PRECEDENT BEING ESTABLISHED BY UK  
ACTION IN ESTABLISHING AN EXCLUSIVE FISHERY ZONE AROUND  
AN UNINHABITED ISLAND. HE SAID THAT THE USSR HAD MADE A  
FORMAL PROTEST TO THE BRITISH AND POINTED OUT THE DANGER  
OF OTHER COUNTRIES FOLLOWING THE BRITISH EXAMPLE. THE  
BRITISH HAD RECOGNIZED THE DANGER OF THE PRECEDENT, BUT  
STATED THEY WERE GOING AHEAD ANYWAY. KOTLIAR INDICATED  
THAT HE HOPED THE US WAS ALSO GOING TO REMONSTRATE WITH  
THE BRITISH.

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